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### THE EDITOR'S WAGER

At the annual meeting of the Rhode Island Press Association Mr. E. P. Tuttle, of the Providence *Journal* read the following poem in which he happily illustrates the influence of the weekly journal:

The editor sat in his chair alone—
A busier person there never was known;
When in came a farmer, a jolly old soul,
Whose name for long years had been borne on the roll
Of paying subscribers. He had come into town
To bring his good wife and some farm produce down;
And having a moment or two he could spare
Had run in at once, to bring in a share
Of his own inward sunshine, to lighten the gloom
Of the man of the press and his dull sanctum room.

The editor's smile, as he lifted his eyes
And saw who was there, was of glad sort,
For a good chat with him was like taking a rest.
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When at length, the old farmer got ready to move,
He said, with a sly little laugh to anyone,
"My dear friend, there is one thing I just want to say—
Now, please don't get vexed, for you know it's my way—
But what makes you put in such paper you print
So much that is worthless—do you take the hint?
Well—poetry, selections—and little anecdote—
And lots of small matters that nobody reads."
The editor looked at him square in the face,
At first with a frown, then a smile took its place.
"My dear friend," he replied, "I'm surprised
You don't know
Every line in the paper is read—but it's so;
And now, if you wish, I will make my words good,
And prove what I say, as every man should.
I'll put in the very best paper a line
Or two about you—in metre print or fine
Whichever you choose, and just where you may say,
And if you don't find on the very next day
That your neighbors all read it, I promise to give
Free subscription to you, so long as you live."
"Agreed," said the farmer, "you shall sing a new song."

Put it right in the middle of one of those long
Financial advertisements—I never yet knew
Any person of sense to read one of those through.
If I hear from it once, I will bring down to you
The best load of garden sauce I ever grew."
Then the "good days" were planned, and the farmer went out,
And the editor laughed to himself without doubt
As he thought of his wager and how it would end.
And the nice little joke he would have on his friend.
Then he wrote just two lines, and he entered them set
In the smallest of type obtaining. "I'll win that bet,
And the printed them himself, to be sure and not fail.
In the midst of a close-again real estate sale.
For to better succeed in his little designs,
He'd selected a place where to put those two lines
And have them connected with what followed and make
A sentence complete in itself, without break.
Those the lines that he wrote: "Our old friend, good John True
Who is one of the best men the world ever knew
Of the well-to-do Hope Farm"—that was all
That he said.
Almost James; but the line next below those two read
"Will be sold very cheap"—the rest can be told
The business and bounds of the estate to be sold.
The paper was printed. The next day but one,
The farmer came in, with his eyes full of fun:
"You have won," he began, "just as sure as you are born
Why, before I'd got breakfast six yesterday morn,
Two or three of my neighbors called, purposed to see
What that means in the paper they saw about me.
(I hadn't seen it yet.) Then, during the day
Every neighbor that met me had something to say
About my being sold. I was sold very cheap,
And you did it well, too; it was no good to keep
So I've told the whole story, and come with all speed
To bring you the garden sauce, as I agreed."
The editor looked from his window and saw
His friend had brought all his horses could draw.
All for him; he declined to accept it, but found
That his friend would not listen, and was off with a bound,
Saying, cheerily, as he went out: "Is your next
Just say Jim True's preaching, and this is his text
There is naught in the paper—fruit, flower, or weeds—
Not a line in the paper that nobody reads."

## MISCELLANEOUS.

### Simplicity Itself.

BY MARGARET EYTINGE.

Miss Verona Allison sat by the open window in her own little snuggery, her eyes bent upon the letter she held in her hand. From the expression on her remarkably expressive face—an expression that curled the short upper lip of a large but well-formed mouth, and caused a naturally turned up nose to turn up still more—one watching her might have been led to think that the contents of the letter awakened so pleasurable feelings—a thought that would have confirmed when on reading the last line our scornful young woman threw herself back in her much-beribboned willow rocker, and exclaimed: "Simplicity, indeed! The man's an idiot."

"What man?" asked Miss Phebe, coming quietly into the room.

"Your friend's son, Mother Phebe, Mr. Peter Gandy. "Why, his very name makes you think at once of a goose—I mean a male goose."

"My dear," said Miss Phebe, mildly, as she seated herself in another highly decorated chair, and folded her hands in her lap—a sign that she was ready for a long and confidential chat—"I see no reason why you should call the young man an idiot. Idiots, to give Webster's mildest definition of them, are 'unlearned, ignorant, or foolish persons.' Peter Gandy is none of these. Neither does he, in my opinion, at all resemble a male goose. I met him at his father's house last winter, just after his return from Europe, where he had been for three years, most of the time in London; and speaking of male geese reminds me that he brought with him the loveliest poodle that I ever beheld, worth a fortune, my dear. But that is not what I started out to say. Let me see—where was I? He had just returned from England, and I found him good-looking (in a poetical way), well educated, and, as you must have discovered from the letter I gave you to read—never dreaming it would lead to idiots and ganders — intensely devoted to 'Beauty unadorned,' which, as you know, the poet Thomson says 'adorned the most.' His mother was my most intimate friend at school. Our braids—'pigtails' rude boys called them—were always tied with the same colored ribbon, and our sunbonnets trimmed with the same colored silk. People laugh at school friendships, my dear, but they often outlast those—But that's neither here nor there. Where was I? Oh, yes. We were inseparable friends, and we promised each other faithfully—having read a great many romances where such promises had produced the happiest results—that if we married (and we both constantly expected to do so), and one had a son and the other a daughter, we would

[illegible] by them, seemed a trifle too high), and the waves that rippled over her head, until there was no hint of curl or wave left. Then she undid the coils and puffs of her luxuriant hair, made to look more luxuriant by being arranged in these same coils and puffs, and gathering it all together into one hard knot, she fastened it with one hair-pin high on her head. An accident a year or two before had cost her one of her pretty white teeth—a front one, most unfortunately; but thanks to the dentist's skill, no one had ever even suspected that the one which replaced it bore no relation to its neighbors. This tooth she removed, and her mouth lost its symmetry, and her smile its charm. Then she donned a muslin gown of Miss Phebe's, some twenty years old, and conspicuous by reason of the green leaves and blue-flag lilies of convulsions also that were profusely embroidered over it, which, Miss Phebe being rather short and quite stout, and she rather tall and quite slender, effectually concealed her shapely form, and unconcealed her feet in stout low shoes two sizes too large for them. About her neck, which was long and slender and graceful in the soft ruches and bows she always wore, she pinned a flat linnen collar, and just behind her left ear, so that it drooped over against her cheek, making her brunette complexion look positively sallow, she pinned a sprey of the bright-red blue larkspur.

And thus she presented herself before the much astonished Miss Phebe and Mr. Peter Gandy. If the latter was also much astonished, as beyond doubt he was, having heard a glowing account of her adopted daughter from his hostess, he never betrayed it farther than by a slight opening of his dreamy, half-shut eyes. He was a willowy youth, with fair, willowy hair falling nearly to his shoulders, a forehead low but not broad, and a chin decidedly the reverse of his friend's and teacher's. And he wore a dark purple velvet coat, and a white lace and lavender silk scarf, and there floated about him the delicate perfume of the violet. He rose when Verona entered the room and greeted her with a languid bow, which she returned with an awkward courtesy, while Miss Phebe's face became a marvelous study, from the wonderful commingling of expressions there, as she led the way to the dining-room.

"You—ah—you like country life?" said Peter—I should say Aurelius—when they were seated at the table.

"Oh yes," replied Verona, with infantile fervency. "I dote on cows."

"Cows! Oh! ah! yes. They—they—"

"Don't bite you' and they gave milk and cream and butter," explained Verona.

Peter—that is, Aurelius—almost smiled. "And do you dote on horses too?" he asked, patronizingly.

"Yes; but sometimes they kick. I'm afraid of them when they kick. But I—oh, how I"—clasping her hands—"love chickens!"

"Chickens!" repeated Aurelius, in a dazed way.

"Yes; they lay omelets and custards and eggs," said Verona, nodding her with the air of one who imparts useful information. And there the conversation ended.

Mr. Peter Aurelius Gandy left for home on an early train. "Your adopted daughter is simplicity itself," he remarked to Miss Phebe, while bidding her good-by, "but I fear we are not affinities."

"Oh, Verona, how could you—how could you be so—" began Miss Phebe, as soon as he was gone; but an uncontrollable fit of laughter prevented her finishing the question. And before the laugh was done, away danced Verona to the snuggery to do her hair in the usual style, replacing the larkspur with an orange and maroon nasturtium flower, put back the tooth and exchange the loose green and blue figured gown for a natty gray flannel boating suit with dark red trimmings.

And at the rowing party—she said he had a little boat to themselves, and somehow or other it was always very much behind the others—she told Arthur all about it.

"Oh, dear me, how funny it was!" said she. "But it served him exactly right, for I happen to know that he thought Mother Phebe had a fortune with which to endow me, whereas she has only enough to keep herself comfortable, dear old darling. And in consideration of that fortune I have no doubt that had he seen me at my best, he might have condescended to have been pleased with me. But he was wholly unprepared for the vision of rustic loveliness that burst upon him. Oh, Arthur, you can't imagine what a fright I was!"

"I can't imagine you 'a fright' under any circumstances," said Arthur, thinking how beautiful she looked framed in the moonlight.

"Oh, but I was!" holding up her hand, which she had been splashing in the water, and looking reflectively at the sparkling drops that fell from it. "I wouldn't have you see that way for anything."

"You wouldn't!" capturing the hand so suddenly that the boat nearly upset. "Why? Can it be? Dare I hope that you—that you—"

"Of course I do, and always have, and always shall, whether you propose or not."

"My angel!" exclaimed Arthur.

"You ought to have seen me at dinner-time," said Verona.

"Twould have made no difference to me," declared the lover. "And oh, my darling, I should have asked you to share my life, six months ago, only I thought, as the other fellow did, that you were an heiress, and I have nothing but the hope of succeeding to the governor's business, which isn't a very money-making one."

"Well, do you propose now? He-hem, no place, could be more appropriate; the moon looking down from starry skies, the water all silvered by her light, a fairy fragrance of water-lilies pervading it; 'yet all about in the quiet air, and particularly at special consideration in the [illegible] whistling 'Charlie is my darling as a signal that we'd better hurry up."

"Verona, will you be my wife?"

"Arthur, with the greatest pleasure. And dear Mother Phebe's school-girl dream will come true after all. She only exchanges the son of one old friend for the son of another."

**A DISGRACEFUL SCENE.**

STRUGGLE BETWEEN SISTERS AS TO WHERE THEIR MOTHER SHOULD BE BURIED.

At Plainfield, N. J., somewhat exciting scenes occurred in Williams street cemetery Sunday afternoon, when two sisters fought over the fresh grave of their mother. All of the family were Catholics except one of the sisters, who married a Protestant and adopted his religion. Upon the death of Mrs. Purvington, the mother, this Protestant daughter agreed to pay part of the funeral expenses if her mother was buried in Williams street cemetery, which is a Protestant institution. This was acquiesced by all the family, but while the funeral procession was proceeding to the cemetery the Catholic daughter, her husband and two brothers attempted to stop the hearse and forbade burial in a Protestant cemetery. The undertaker called for the assistance of officers and proceeded to the grave. While the coffin was being lowered the Catholic daughter gave a shriek, and rushing at her sister heaped upon her the most violent invectives and finally attempted to strike her with a club. A general fight ensued immediately, but the officers interfered and the party dispersed. The undertaker then proceeded with the burial of the deceased.

**Upper Michigan.**

Mining regions are proverbially barren and rocky, and the upper peninsula of Michigan—at least that portion of it which is so productive of iron and copper—forms no exception to this rule. It is old—older than most of our hills, for it was the first land that was attached to the original Laurentian nucleus about which our continent has been formed. It has, in consequence, always been a favorite field for geological study, and its novel industrial features make it no less interesting to the ordinary traveler.

The face of the country is rugged and seamed and worn. Were it not for its mineral wealth it would remain permanently a wilderness. Lumber companies would invade it here and there and retire after having rotted the forest of the pine which is found in a few scattered patches. It would be an eddy where the stream of western migration had left a few Indians and woodsmen to subsist by the method of primitive life.

The land is generally valueless from the farmers point of view, for the soil is a light drift—too light for wheat—and the climate's winter modified by a season of summer weather too short for Indian corn to ripen. Hay, oats, and potatoes yield the farmer a fair return, but the climate is so rigorous that the securing of shelter and fuel calls for so large an amount of energy that little is left to devote to cultivation. It is a proof of this that a very inconsiderable fraction of the population attempts to subsist by farming, although the freight from Chicago is added to the price of all the staple articles of production—hay, for instance, being from twenty to twenty five dollars a ton, and milk ten cents a quart.

Curiously enough strawberries and currants reach a perfection unknown in more hospitable latitudes, a Marquette strawberry resembling in size a Bartlett pear, and in flavor a wild strawberry. This is owing, no doubt, to the fact that in northern latitudes—Marquette is about as far north as Quebec—the few summer days have from eighteen to twenty hours of sunlight and after-glow, and vegetable growth is virtually uninterrupted by darkness. Light, the botanists tell us, bears the same relation to aroma that heat does to sweetness. Such strawberries as these must be seen to be appreciated, and must be visited to be seen, for they are too large and too delicate to bear travel themselves.—*F. Johnson in Harper's for May.*

**Prisms, Bangs and Powder.**

It being generally known that no collection would be taken up, there was an unusually large attendance of Lime-Kilners, and when the bell rung the audience to order every hemah was taken. Brother Gardner was the picture of perfect health as he shook the kinks out of his spine, and said: "Gem'len, what am dat object on dat skylike stool ober dar?"

"Dat's de water-pail," was the answer.

"Jess so, gem'len—jess so. If that pail war painted red or blue, what would it be?"

"Nuffin but a pail."

"Jess so again. If we should paint dat pail, an' fresco de handle, and silver-plate de hoops, an' call it de Tower of London, it wouldn't be de tower any moar den it is now. We is all agreed on dat—all but de women."

"Walk out on de street and what d'ye see? Ebery female in de lan' rubs paint on her cheeks and powder on her face. Dey frien' dair ha'r, squeeze up on dair corsets, nip along on dair toes, an' dair dull aim is to deceive de man into believin' dat dey am beautiful and lubly. De uglier and meaner lookin' de women am' de more she frizzes and de harder she nips. De less money dey hab to dress on de richer de dealin' are, an' de moar jewelry dey wuve around."

"If a pig is a pig, why should we call him a cook stove? If a woman is a woman why de need of all dis paint an' powder and pippin' around? De white man doan' appreciate it, de nigger is sick ob it, an' I tell you gem'len, dat de time am comin' when de country am gwine to sigh mighty hard for a return ob de day when a clean collar dress an' a healthy woman went moar in company."—*Free Press.*


Legal blanks at the Miner office.

**Fishing Laws.**

Most of the residents in this locality so famous for its pure streams and splendid trout fishing are familiar with the State rules governing the sport, still it does no harm to remind them, and there may be some who are not thoroughly posted. Under the game and fish act it is illegal to catch and retain trout under five inches in length, and it is illegal to catch fish any other way than with rod, hook and line. Penalty for each fish illegally caught or retained $10, or offered for sale $25. Bass and pike fishing commences on the 1st of June, and it is illegal to catch them any other way than with rod, hook and line, under a penalty of $10 for each fish illegally caught. Sunday fishing is prohibited under a penalty of $25. One-half of all fines goes to the informer. Constables having personal knowledge of violations of the law, or if furnished with good evidence that the law has been violated, are bound to make return thereof.

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**The Human Locomotive**

Should be carefully supervised, otherwise it may run off the track of life at any moment. To keep its delicate internal machinery in perfect trim, or put it in good working condition, use Parmelee's Dyspepsia Compound. The tone and vigor which it imparts to the stomach, its appetizing effects, the relief it affords to headache, its anti-bilious properties, and its superior merits as a general corrective, make it the most valuable family medicine of the age. Price per bottle, $1; sample bottles, 15 cents. Sold by A. B. Armstrong, Smethport, Pa.

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Pardee Valley, April 4, 1882. 17-4t

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ELIZABETH POTTER.
Sergeant, April 10, 1882.

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NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of J. Johnson & Co., of this city, heretofore existing, is dissolved by mutual consent, by C. B. Johnson, to whom all accounts must be presented.
J. B. ALLEN,
C. B. JOHNSON.
Bradford, April 10, 1882. 16-4

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All persons are hereby cautioned against cutting timber on the lands of the estate without permission duly obtained. An immediate and rigid search upon the lands of the estate, by any person, for any purpose, will make such person or persons liable to prosecution for trespass.

Persons who have bought or leased lands of this estate have deeds, contracts, or leases. Those deeds give exact description of the lands to which they refer, and no others. Persons who claim lands which these deeds do not cover, claim that which does not belong to them, and are liable to prosecution for trespass. No privileges or permits to cut timber, unaccompanied by deeds, contracts, or leases, will be recognized. I am not here to make settlements, but to collect moneys due the estate.
ROBT. C. SIMPSON,
Agent of the Trustees.

THE McKEAN MIRROR.

Smethport, Pa., May 11, 1882.

## REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

*For Governor,*
GENERAL JAMES A. BEAVER.
*For Lieut.-Governor,*
W. T. DAVIES,
of Bradford County.
*For Supreme Judge,*
WILLIAM HENRY RAWLE,
of Philadelphia.
*For Secretary of Internal Affairs,*
CHARLES M. GREER,
of Butler.
*For Congressman-at-Large,*
THOMAS M. MARSHALL,
of Allegheny.

THE arrivals of immigrants at New York for the month of April were nearly 70,000, or at the rate of 840,000 a year. For this month fully 100,000 are expected.

THE reduction of the public debt in the past 10 months was 126,748,000, the largest on record for the same length of time. The reduction the present year is likely to reach $148,000,000.

A BILL has been passed by the Canadian parliament abolishing the postage on papers published in the Dominion. This free literature act comes in force on the 1st of July next.

THE long uncertainty as to the fate of the arctic explorer Lieut. De Long and his party is settled at last by the sad tidings that Engineer Melville has found the remains of those who left the ill-fated Jeanette in the first cutter, with the books, papers and other records of the expedition.

SERGEANT MASON will have to undergo durance vile for some time yet. On Monday afternoon the United States Supreme Court decided that the court martial had full jurisdiction and that the sentence was not in excess of its powers. The petition for a writ of habeas corpus was denied and the rule to show cause discharged.

THE Republican State Convention is over and a ticket nominated which is eminently satisfactory. We should have been better pleased, however, to have seen the name of McKeon's candidate upon the ticket, but bow to the wish of the majority, as does Hon. Mr. Rogers, who is reported to have said at the close of the convention, that the ticket could not have been bettered even if it had his name upon it. The utterance is characteristic of the man, and although he would no doubt have liked to be nominated, he will work none the less hard to give the ticket the 25,000 or 30,000 majority that is predicted for it.

THE Chinese bill has been signed by President Arthur, and will go into effect in ninety days. The bill passed differed from the one vetoed by the President on the 4th of April only in the length of the period of restriction, it having been changed from twenty to ten years. When the bill went to the senate committee, several of the clauses were amended in the endeavor to forestall the opposition of the president by removing the portions which the veto had shown were not to his liking. The senate, however, refused to accept the amendments and restored the clauses, and it was expected by many that the President would again veto it. If he had, it would probably have been passed over his head, as the vote in both houses was overwhelmingly in its favor.

ON Saturday night last Lord Frederick Cavendish, the new Chief Secretary of Ireland, and Thomas Henry Burke, the Under Secretary were assassinated by four men in Phœnix Park, Dublin. The purpose or the instigators of the dastardly deed are hard to be conceived. It has been done at a time when the prospects of Ireland looked the brightest they have for some time. The new Secretary was an amiable man and came to the country with a peace offering, while the Land Leaguers had just obtained an important victory, and were moving peacefully forward to other achievements when this blow fell upon them. The prison doors of their chiefs were thrown open and the policy of coercion was abandoned as a political blunder. There was a prospect that the reconciliation between the Gladstone Government and the Land Leaguers would be complete, and soon would be followed by measures tending more and more to the independence of Ireland. Parnell Dillon, Davitt and Sexton, the Irish leaders, all unite in deploring the terrible tragedy and characterizing it a terrible blow to the national cause.

### THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

HARMONY PREVAILS—A STRONG TICKET NOMINATED.

HARRISBURG, Pa., May 10.

The convention to-day passed off very harmoniously and a strong ticket was nominated without much struggling over any of the candidates. The nominations of Beaver for Governor and Davies for Lieut. Governor were made unanimously, Rawle for Supreme Judge was nominated on the second ballot, and Greer for Secretary of Internal Affairs and Tom. Marshall of Allegheny for Congressman-at-Large were nominated on the first ballot.

For Supreme Judge the nominees were William Henry Rawle, of Philadelphia, Judge Thayer, Judge Livingston, of Lancaster, A. M. Brown, of Pittsburg, Judge Clayton, of Delaware, and S. Blair, of Blair county.

The first ballot resulted as follows: Rawle 115; Thayer 68; Brown 73; Clayton 6; Livingston 15; Blair 4. No result. A second ballot was ordered with the following result: Rawle 188; Thayer 6; Brown 97; Livingston 14. On motion of William H. Lowe the nomination of Rawle was made unanimous.

Major Critchett, of Washington, Judge Rogers, of McKean; Chas. Buehl, of Indiana; A. K. Dunkle, of Philadelphia; Cyrus G. Reed, of Adams; A. A. Boyle, of Indiana. The name of Col. Dunkle was withdrawn and a ballot taken resulting as follows: Greer 129; Rogers 57; Hollman 3; Cristman 24; Reed none; Boyle 2; Beale 6. The nomination of Greer was made unanimous.

The convention named as candidates for Congressman-at-Large: Samuel Butler, of Chester J. S. Vanvoorhees, of Washington; Thomas M. Marshall, of Allegheny; George S. Howell and W. R. Roberts, of Crawford; J. O. A. McConkey, of York; Gen. Wm. Lilly, of Carbon; George E. McFarland, of Crawford, J. S. Biery, of Lehigh; George F. Huff, of Westmoreland; E. Dunbar Lockwood, of Philadelphia.

At the roll call a general break was made which soon made it apparent that Marshall's nomination was assured, and even before the vote was announced a motion was offered by Hayes, of Chester, to make the nomination unanimous, which was carried amid enthusiasm.

The committee on resolutions presented a platform and resolutions which were unanimously adopted, after which General Beaver addressed the convention, being received enthusiastically. At the close of his address the convention adjourned.

THERE have been a number of reports to the effect that the wife of the murdered outlaw, Jesse James, intended lecturing and publishing a life of her husband. She denies these reports and has lately issued a card to the public saying that all statements that she is about to publish a life of Jesse and Frank James, or that she has given any information to enable any one to publish such a book, are false. She asserts that she has never known anything concerning any of the crimes which her husband is alleged to have committed, that he never spoke to her about any such crimes, and that therefore she could not, even if she would, furnish any facts about his alleged wrong-doings.

### WASHINGTON LETTER.

FROM OUR REGULAR CORRESPONDENT.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 8, 1882.

The second postponement of the Star-route trials to await the appearance of John W. Dorsey, is another evidence of the desire of the defendants to delay the prosecution as much as possible. When they were first charged with fraud, it will be remembered they clamored loudly for trial, urging that it was working them a great injustice for the Government to allow them to be tried in the newspapers and take no steps towards substantiating the charges it had made. But since they have been indicted, and the prosecution has been begun, their tactics have changed completely, and their only anxiety seems to be to throw as many obstacles as possible in the way of a speedy trial. This is a strong indication that they are afraid to meet the evidence against them. The Government is moving vigorously, however, and they will soon be unable to practice any further evasions. To one who is familiar with the details of the charge this dilatoriness is a strong proof that the prosecution has a good case. It was at first believed by many here who were acquainted with Gen. Brady that, while he had the opportunity to practice the frauds charged upon him, and might not lack the willingness to engage in them, it was extremely unlikely that a man of his ability should not have covered up his tracks so carefully that conviction would be impossible even were the charges entirely correct. But this systematic course of delay and evasion by every means available has considerably shaken this belief and brought a tendency toward the opinion that he will not be able to escape the justice of the law. His conviction, of course, carries with it, in all likelihood, the conviction of all the rest connected with him.

The bill for the removal of political disabilities has opened afresh the unhealed wounds of the war. The statement made by Wade Hampton that God alone knew who was right in the civil strife was insulting to the Government of which he is an officer. It is now seventeen years since the termination of the war, and it does seem as though the conquered party might resign itself to the situation. There certainly should be no removal of the disabilities so long as such a spirit is alive as that shown by Senator Wade Hampton.

The Peruvian investigating committee seems to be more interested in Blaine's policy toward Peru than in his connection with the claims of the Peruvian company. Nothing seems likely to be elicited other than that Blaine simply instructed our minister to see that the treaty of peace did not work an injustice to the claimants—acting upon the policy that the Government should protect as far as possible the interests of its citizens in other lands.

Barnum has visited us with Jumbo and the baby elephant. He is certainly the prince of advertisers whether he is the "prince of humbugs" or not. The whole land rings with Jumbo—not such a wonderful animal after all, but a good advertising card—and our whole city turned out to see him. The tremendous tent with a seating capacity of twenty thousand, was full at every performance, and hundreds were turned away. The President was present as one of the performances. It is surprising what attraction the circus has for the average American. It sets the small boy crazy, and the older people are not much less affected.

The citizens of Washington are to be congratulated on the favorable aspect of affairs in regard to the removal of the celebrated Potomac Flats. All the scientific testimony delivered before the committee tends toward the same idea—that these flats are very greatly determined to the health of the city. With this great pestilence-breeder removed, Washington will rank among the first cities of the country as to sanitary condition; and there will be no pleasanter place of residence in the United States. We are somewhat unfortunate in being directly under the charge of Congress, for that able body is so much engrossed with affairs of national importance that our little wants and needs are often overlooked.

JUSTUS.

Recalls the particulars of the murder of the supposed visitation and murder of Jennie Cramer, by two libertines and lessees of their mistresses. The circumstances in connection with her taking off were such that James and Walter Malley and Blanche Douglass were arrested as being implicated in her death, and their trial is now progressing at New Haven.

A correspondent to the Philadelphia *Times* from that place, says that when the body of the unfortunate girl was discovered by Uncle Asa Curtiss, the clam-digger, early on the morning of August 6 last, in the waters of Long Island Sound that skirt Savin Rock, it was attired in clothes quite characteristic of the girl. The dress was of pure white, tastefully trimmed and cut low at the neck. Her hat was of the Gainsborough style, turned back from the forehead and embellished with feathers and flowers to add to its attractiveness. Her stockings were of fashionable hue and her shoes new and of the best make. Around her neck was a double row of silver beads and on her fingers were several rings, one of them having a gold dollar pendant, on which was engraved her initials. As seen a few days before her death in this costume Jennie looked very attractive, but did not give one the impression that she was possessed of an overabundance of modesty. It could be seen at a glance that she was fond of admiration and an acquaintance could easily be formed. The girl was of a striking type of beauty. Her eyes were black, large and lustrous, with drooping, dark eyelashes. Her features were regular, the mouth particularly pretty, with bright red lips and just a trifling inclination to pout. Her teeth were regular and white and her skin of a remarkable whiteness and purity. This gave credence to the report that she was an habitual arsenic eater, but those who knew her in early childhood say that her skin was always white and clear. Her form was well rounded and her carriage graceful.'

JENNIE'S MANY ADMIRERS

The girl had hosts of admirers and attracted the attention of young men above her in social station. Though not possessing more than an ordinary education and having no gift of conversation, she was fond of gayety and at times vivacious. Her mother allowed her a wide latitude, much to her regret now, doubtless. She was taken from school at an early age, and for five years before her death—her age then being twenty-one—she had little to do but nurse her beauty and receive the flattery of young men. She attended her father's cigar store sufficiently to enable her to form an extensive acquaintance with the youth of the city. Her facilities in this regard were enlarged through the indulgence of her mother and the sociability which prevails among the Germans. Mrs. Cramer accompanied her daughter to balls, socialables and picnics and frequently left her to be escorted home by a young man. At German dances and socialables here, as elsewhere, it is not considered out of the way for young ladies to indulge in an occasional glass of wine or beer and Jennie was no exception to the rule. She enjoyed a glass of cool lager after a waltz and did not hesitate to drink it at the bar. At many of these German dances which she attended young men of the town and Yale students were frequenters and Jennie was an attraction for them. It is said that on more than one occasion she had been seen smoking cigarettes surrounded by male admirers in the refreshment room of the dance hall. This freedom caused talk and all agree that the girl's training was unfortunate. In cross examining Mrs. Cramer the other day on the witness stand the lawyers for the defense endeavored to show from her own lips that she was indulgent in her control of Jennie and tolerated conduct that would be condemned by parents having a proper comprehension of the rules of propriety. Admissions to this effect were skilfully drawn out and will be used in the summing up with the best possible effect on the jury.

WHAT THE PROSECUTION CLAIM.

The theory of the prosecution is that Jennie Cramer was first ruined and then poisoned by the Malleys and Blanche Douglass, the motive for the murder being a threat of prosecution of James Malley if he did not marry her. The defense realize the importance of proving that the girl was unchaste before association so intimately with the Malleys and Blanche Douglass. The latter, the prosecution claim, was brought here to assist in the ruin of Jennie, and thus the theory of the State is a strong one in view of the character of Blanche. Detectives have been at work for a long time to obtain testimony regarding the chastity of Jennie. The experienced lawyers for the defense are fully aware that it would ruin their case with a Yankee jury to assail the dead girl's character without presenting overwhelming proof of the claims. The point is an important one, yet exceedingly delicate to handle. That the energy of the defense is now directed toward getting such proof, however, there is no doubt. A girl living a free and easy sort of a life, with hosts of male admirers' an indulgent mother, and given to carriage riding and shore suppers, is bound to suffer somewhat in reputation in any community; but it is a fact that in all that has been said and done since the discovery of the body of the dead girl, no one has openly assailed her character as to chastity previous to her carousals with the Malleys and the New York strumpet, Blanche Douglass.

JENNIE'S GERMAN LOVER.

In her eighteenth year Jennie kept steady company with a young German barber of this city, to whom she seemed devotedly attached. For twelve or fifteen months the twain were constantly together evenings and on fine Sundays went riding. It was supposed they were engaged to be married. In the latter part of this intimacy Jennie went to New York on a visit and was absent several days. On her return her lover treated her quite coolly and finally the pair parted company and the friendship was never afterward renewed. Strong efforts have been made by agents for the defense to induce this young man to explain why he so abruptly broke off with Jennie, but, it is said, without avail. He refuses to say anything more than that, so far as he knew, Jennie was a good girl, but strong-headed and fond of pleasure.]

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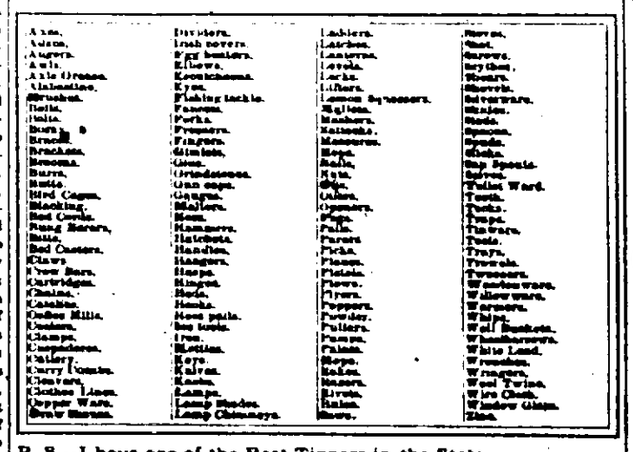


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April 18, 1882. 19-6t

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# THE McKEAN [illegible]

Smethport, Pa., May 11, 1882.

## Important Newspaper Decisions.

A postmaster is required to give notice by letter, (returning a paper does not answer the law) when a subscriber does not take his paper out of the office, and state the reason for its not being taken, and a neglect to do so makes the postmaster responsible to the publishers for the payment.

Anyone who takes a paper from the post office whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not, is responsible for the pay.

If a person orders his paper discontinued he must pay all arrearages, or the publishers may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it be taken from the office or not. There can be no legal discontinuance until the payment is made.

If a subscriber orders his paper to be stopped at a certain time and the publisher continues to send it, the subscriber is bound to pay for it, if he takes it out of the post office. The law presents these facts as the ground that a man must pay for what he uses.

The courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers and periodicals from the post office or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facie, evidence of intentional fraud.

## HERE AND HEREABOUTS.

—Mr. Geo. Brownell is in Buffalo purchasing new goods.

—The auction sale at Gifford's store closed on Wednesday noon.

—There are forty-six circuses on the road this year, and they all have the largest elephant.

—Messrs. Sterrett & Ross will carry on business in the Ford block until further arrangements are made.

—There will be divine services on Sunday next at 8:30 a. m. (Holy Communion) at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m.

—The business of Mr. H. Hamlin's banking office is now being carried on in the land and law office of Mr. B. D. Hamlin.

—We are glad to see a gang of men at work repairing the side and cross walks on Main street. It was very necessary.

—Gambling, and Some of the Roads that Lead to it," is to be the subject of the sermon at the M. E. Church next Sunday evening.

Despite Venor's predictions we have had some genuine spring weather this week and vegetation has progressed until its genial influence.

Conductor Stuby, of the B. B & K. R. R., has been receiving the congratulations of his friends during the week.—cause—a ten and-a-half pound girl.

A donation party for the benefit of Rev. Mr. Bronson at Farmers' Valley the other day was a pleasant affair and netted the reverend gentleman some $50.

John Digel of this place has a gang of men employed in getting out stone from the quarry situated on the farm of Mr. Orlando Gallup, in Norwich township.

The Democratic county committee will meet at this place on Tuesday June 13th to elect their delegates for the State convention to meet at Harrisburg on the 28th of the same month.

—County Commissioner Reilly is very busy at present superintending the improvements on the Court House grounds. He is a practical man and will see that the work is properly done.

—John, the pet cat that made his home in the Haskill building, has been quite disconsolate since the fire. He visits the ruins daily, mews piteously and refuses to be comforted.

—Dr. H. L. McCoy and wife left on Tuesday morning on a trip to Buffalo and Titusville. At the latter place the doctor will attend the State Medical Convention, to which he was elected a delegate.

As the time of its expected appearance grows near, the big comet dwindles into insignificance. We now learn that it will require a telescope to see it. The earth is not to be knocked into space this time.

Aaron Acre, of Port Allegany, well known in this borough, was run over and killed by the cars at Bartwell on Saturday night last while under the influence of liquor. An inquest was held over his remains and no blame was attached to the railroad employes.

"Who was the incendiary?" is the question that has agitated the public mind in Smethport during the week. The answer is not forthcoming; but the old saying "murder will out" will no doubt be verified in this case.

A number of persons who intended taking in the circus at Bradford to-day backed out on account of the mud they knew they would encounter in Bradford. Quite a number attended, however, and several will go to Olean to-morrow.

The well-known firm of R. G. Chase & Co., are advertising with us for men. This is a good opening for any man who wishes to see something of our country, have his expenses paid, and at the same time earn a good salary on a job that is permanent.

Stockings divided so as to separate each toe as a glove does the fingers are now being introduced, and an eminent medical authority recommends them, as they are likely to promote cleanliness, prevent troublesome soft corns, and abolish foot deformity.

Prof. Dare, the tight-rope walker who performed here last summer on a rope stretched from the Grand Central to M. A. Sprague's hardware store, was killed while performing in Flushing, L.I., on Saturday last. His rope broke and precipitated him to the ground.

The directors of the McKean County Agricultural Society says the *Reporter*, have decided to introduce a most novel feature at the fair next fall. They propose paying the fees of the officiating minister, and offering a handsome prize to any couple getting married on the grand stand during the fair.

The heavy rain of yesterday and last night will be of immense service through this section of the country. Among others benefitted is our townsman, Seth Gifford. He was just out of logs, and his whole gang have gone up Marvin Creek to float logs down the stream, which has been augmented by the rain.

The Olean *Sunday Herald*, has proven a very newsy and spicy sheet and its success has been so great that the publisher, Mr. C. F. Persons has concluded to enlarge it to an eight page paper and make other improvements. It will appear in its new form on Sunday next. We wish it the success it deserves.

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A sad accident occurred on Monday last to Mr. James Sullivan, ex supervisor of Sergeant township and well known in this borough, which has resulted in his death. He was foreman over a gang of men working on the extension of the Erie R. R., near the big bridge, and while at work a crowbar he was using struck some dynamite caps in his pocket and exploded them. The explosion tore off one of his hands and made a hole in his side, inflicting such terrible injuries that he died from the effects shortly afterwards. He was an industrious married man, and his family and many friends sadly mourn his untimely death.

—We have received the skeleton number of *The National Prohibitionist*, the first regular number of which will be published on the 20th inst., at 92 Chambers street, New York. The title page is a drawing illustrative of the temperance question and is appropriate, while the workmanship is artistic. It is to contain thirty-two pages, and to be devoted to all practical reforms. Mr. Wm. McK. Gatchell, lately of the Bradford *Star*, is the editor, Rev. C. W. Cushing, D. D., assistant editor, and Frank W. Farrar, business manager. There is room for this journal in the literary field, and we wish it an abundant success.

—Speaking of the present season, a writer in the Jamestown (N. Y.) *Journal* calls attention to a great snow storm that fell over Chautauqua and Cattaraugus counties in 1831, commencing on the 14th of May, and on the 15th, the snow on a level was one foot deep, and many people drove with sleighs several miles on that day, and the night of the 15th it froze as hard as to kill the leaves in the forest, the leaves at that time being full grown. He thinks it is an error to call this a late season for this climate, and says there have been but few seasons during the past fifty years, when there has been grass sufficient for cows before May 10th.

### Quite Aesthetic.

We looked into the residence of Mr. R. H. Rose the other day, seeing that it was in the hands of the painters and decorative artists, and were much pleased with the effect produced in the hall and music room, which have been artistically painted and decorated. The music room is after the French school, and to use a now familiar term is quite aesthetic. The sidewalls are hung with handsome embossed paper of a Persian design with freize border and gilt moulding, and the cornice is painted in oil in a style known to artists as the French combination, the shades of blue, pink and light buff blending well together and harmonizing with the sidewall and ceiling. The field of the latter is papered with one of the late designs of Bartholomaus, the figures upon it being clover leaves and bees, the border is a solid gold ground of Japanese design. The centre piece is frescoed in oil, the design corresponding with the border. The woodwork is painted to harmonize with the general tone of the decorations, and the whole effect is strikingly handsome and artistic. The hall also shows very artistic workmanship in the blending of colors and paper to make the pleasing effect that has been produced. The paper was furnished by the firm of R. O Smith & Co. of Olean, N. Y., and the decorative work done by Mr. C. L. Van Housen, an artist in the employ of this firm.

### A Pleasant Wedding.

The marriage of Charlie Gallup and Kitt Bellows that took place at the bride's parents at Port Allegany on Wednesday of last week was a very pleasant affair indeed. The wedding party consisted of the families only, and the only one thing to mar the happiness of any one present was the absence of two brothers and a sister who were unable to attend. The ceremony was performed by Rev. K. J. Underhill in a very effective manner. At his request the friends rose as the happy pair entered the room and remained standing during the ceremony. Soon the good minister pronounced them man and wife, and prayed that as they journeyed down life's road together that their cup might ever be as full of joy as it seemed that day. The friends all joined in extending their warmest congratulations, and sat down to a sumptuous dinner, after which each one presented the bride with a present, some of which were beautiful and valuable. The happy couple took the noon train for Ridgway, visiting several neighboring towns, and returned on Saturday evening to the home of Mr. Gallup's parents, at Norwich, where they were heartily welcomed by father, mother and all. Charlie and Kitt are well and favorably known at Norwich, where it is hoped they may reside for long years to come.

### The Court House Grounds.

We mentioned last week that County Commissioner Johnson had gone east on county business; we are now informed that he has purchased the two fountains for the Court House grounds, and that they are on their way here. They are of iron, each standing about eleven feet high and having three basins. One is surmounted by the figure of a girl holding in her arms a swan from the open beak of which a stream of water will ascend to a height of about 20 feet. The other fountain is capped with the statue of a boy with drawn sword. Each fountain will stand in an octagonal basin sixteen feet in diameter and made of McKean county stone. The estimated cost of the whole work is about $1,500. In the meantime the commissioners are having the grounds drained and intend sodding them and adding other shrubbery. When completed, the effect will be very pleasing to residents as well as the many visitors to this place.

The scheme to provide Bolivar with water works has fallen through. No effort is to be made to provide against fire. Bradford is nearly as bad off. We have $3,000 subscribed, but need $2,000. If our business men, who haven't given a cent, would subscribe their share, we would have water works in no time.—*Bradford Regis.*

## The Bennett House and Haskill Building Burned.

### The Losses and Insurance.- The Hose Company Appreciated.

The Bennett House in this place, which appears to have been doomed, was effectually cremated on Saturday morning last. The fire was first discovered a little after 2 o'clock, at which time the flames had gained such headway that the building appeared to be on fire all over, even to the woodshed in the rear. At this time Mrs. Van Gorder and her daughter Hattie, were still in the building, and they had to escape with very scanty clothing. The alarm soon brought out the firemen, but by the time of their arrival the fire had undisputed sway over the building, which was a mass of flames. Streams were often playing upon the Haskus building on the east, and on Mr. Haskill's store on the west side of the burning house, but the flames, aided by the breese, which was blowing in a southwesterly direction, stretched across the road and despite the efforts of the hose company, fastened on the Haskill building. The boys fought it for a long time, however, and in the meantime Mr. Haskill was enabled to save a large portion of his stock, including about $2,000 of new goods just purchased. The next building to the west is the brick land and law office of Mr. B. D. Hamlin, and here the flames were stayed, but the flying cinders were carried on other buildings and the roofs of Mr. Hamlin's barn, as well those of Mr. Haskill's house and barn caught fire several times, while on the north side of the street the heat was so intense that Mr. J. C. Hamlin's store was scorched and at one time it was feared that it would catch fire and that the flames would spread up Church street to the Ford block. The hose company gave this spot a liberal supply of water and were beyond doubt the means of saving it. The Baokus building seemed in imminent danger for some time, and between it and the Bennett House the heat was so intense that it set fire to planks piled up to protect the hose men who were throwing a stream upon it, which they did until after the Bennett House fell, thus saving the building and retarding the further spread of the flames. After about three hours' hard work, during which time the hose company under the direction of Foreman Walsh, worked with a concentrated energy and coolness that would have done credit to any old company, the fire was confined to the limits we have mentioned and further danger of its spreading was past.

So far nothing is known of the origin of the fire. Coming so quickly upon the late narrow escape of the same building from burning to the ground, and the doubtful origin of that fire, the suspicion has gained deep root that both fires were the work of an incendiary, and the rapidity with which the flames spread on Saturday morning would make it appear that the individual or individuals who did the deed this time were bound that it should not "flash in the pan" again, while the sequel shows that the work was well and effectually done. Rumors and opinions of course obtain among the citizens as to the affair, but no tangible clue has yet been found. A report prevails and has obtained credence that at the time of the alarm a buggy was driven through town at break-neck speed, crossing the Mechanics street bridge. This is perhaps correct, but if it is it would have been better policy on the part of those who heard it to have mentioned the matter at the time and had the buggy tracked, than to have waited until the fire was over and its incidents were being gossipped about.

The losses entailed aggregate nearly $50,000, and the insurance amounts to $28,000. The Bennett House was purchased by Gen. Hamar for $20,000, since which time he claims to have expended some $5,000 upon it, thus making its cost to him $25,000. Since the previous fire he had reduced the insurance on it to $10,000, and he puts his loss at $15,000. Mr. Geo. Van Gorder, whose family occupied apartments in the house lost a quantity of clothes and furniture which were uninsured, and one of the carpenters at work in the building, by name of Frank Andrews, lost a full set of carpenter's tools. Mr. Haskill's building, which was totally destroyed was valued at $4,000 and insured for $3,000. On his stock, which was valued at $15,000, he had an insurance of $7,000, and having saved a large portion of his goods his loss in this direction will be fully covered by insurance. In this building were situated the banking office of Mr. Henry Hamlin and the law office of Sterrett & Ross. In the former Mr. Hamlin's loss of furniture, fixtures, etc. approximates $1,000, upon which there was no insurance. The cashier, Mr. S. T. Townsend also lost his wardrobe and other effects, which were uninsured. Messrs. Sterrett & Ross's loss was about $600, which is covered by insurance. Fortunately all the safes in this building protected their contents through the fire, so that the valuable papers deposited in them have not to be added to the loss.

After the fire the citizens united in expressing their opinion as to the noble work done by the hose company, and as a practical acknowledgment of the value of their services, Mr. B. D. Hamlin handed the following to the foreman:

*Mr. W. P. Walsh:*

MY DEAR SIR—The work of the Smethport Hose Company this morning was well done. I was interested. It gives me great pleasure to hand you the enclosed check for $50 in remembrance.

Truly, B. D. HAMLIN.

Mr. Hamlin also donated $5 towards replacing Mr. Andrews' tools and other subscriptions have been added.

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Miss E. Carson's new millinery rooms in the Kittredge block are a favorite resort for the ladies. Miss Carson's stock comprises the most new and fashionable goods to be found and her selection has been so wide that the owners of heavy pocketbooks or slender purses can alike be suited. Miss Carson says that it is a pleasure to show her goods, and we advise all the ladies who have not yet given her a call to accept the invitation extended to them and pay her an early visit.

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MRS. HARRIET A. BREMAN.

Forest House, Allen, Pa., April 26, 1882. 10-3t

### Dissolution Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the firm of J. H. Gilmore & Co. in this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be conducted by C. H. Gilmore, to whom all accounts must be presented.

J. S. ALLEN,
J. H. GILMORE.

Dated Crosby, April 26, 1882. 10-4

### Argument List

*For Fourth Monday of May, 1882.*

1 Commonwealth vs Wm Bowman and W E Davis; No 177, September session, 1881. Rule to show reasons why petition of traverser should not be set aside.

2 Mary J Hopkins vs John J Roberts. No 28, December Term, 1877. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be entered, &c.

3 Use of F. H. Fay Bank vs Christian Reisenweber; No 79, February Term 1878. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant allowed to make defence.

4 Jas L N Hyde Charles Wilder and A Warner partners as Wilder & Warner. No 168 September Term 1881. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defence, prove claim, to stay in meantime; lien and levy to remain.

5 C. M. Bonar vs E. H. Watkins, No 91, February Term, 1878; Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defence; proceedings to stay in meantime.

6 Commonwealth vs Horace Coleman and A. K. Carruthers, No 66, February Sessions, 1881; Rule to show cause why the indictment in above case should not be quashed.

7 W. P. Mayne vs N. of Edwards, No. 21, February Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why same should not be granted.

8 J. A. Greenman vs W. Sullivan—No 462, February Term, 1881. Rule to show cause why judgment should not be opened and defendant let into a defence; proceedings to stay in meantime.

9 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda—No 125, May Term, 1882—vs J. Wilkinson—No 127, May Term, 1882—vs J. Wilkinson & Co; Rule to show cause why the sale of property seized by the sheriff by virtue of writs issued in above entitled cases should not be set aside.

10 Jacob Bortz and Jacob Stein vs Owen McMahon, No 844, September Term, 1881; certiorari.

11 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 125, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

12 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 126, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

13 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 127, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

14 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 128, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

15 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 129, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

16 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 130, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

17 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 131, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

18 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 132, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

19 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 133, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

20 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 134, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

21 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs Thomas Riley, respondent. No 135, May Term, 1882. Rule to show cause why petition of the said Jacob Stein, next friend of Matilda, should not be dismissed, and the said Matilda be delivered from the custody of the said Thomas Riley, and restored to the custody of her mother, Mary Ann Riley, and why the said Matilda should not be discharged from the custody of the said Thomas Riley.

22 Commonwealth vs Thomas Riley and Matilda, dau of the 15th Ward of Bradford, by her next friend, Jacob Stein, petitioner, vs

LEGAL.

# SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY VIRTUE of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county, and to me directed, I will expose to public sale at the Court House in the Borough of Smethport on

MONDAY, MAY 23d, A. D., 1881

at one o'clock p. m., the following described real estate, to-wit:

1.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Commencing on the north line of Main street twenty-two feet east of the south-west corner of lot No. 68, thence north 1 ¼ degrees west one hundred feet to the south side of a fifteen feet alley, thence north 88 ¾ degrees east along the south side of said alley twenty-two feet to a post, thence south 1 ¼ degrees east one hundred feet to the north line of Main street, thence south 88 ¾ degrees west along the north line of Main street twenty-two feet to the place of beginning, being a part of village lot No. 68, with a two-story frame building thereon used for plumbing below and residence above.

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R. M. & E. BROWN, Pl'ffs Att'ys.

2.

All the Defendant's interest in a one-and-a-half storied building with a stone foundation, and situate on land in Liberty township, McKean county, Pennsylvania: Beginning at a post standing two hundred and sixty-six perches south and three hundred and ten perches west of the north-east corner of warrant number two thousand and sixty-three and being part of said warrant and number two thousand and sixty, thence south one hundred and twenty-nine perches to a post, thence west sixty-five and two-tenths perches to a post, thence north one hundred and twenty-nine perches to a post, thence east sixty-five and two-tenths perches to the place of beginning, containing fifty-two acres and sixty-one perches, strict measure, be the same more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Patrick McCabe at the suit of Simon Byrne.

E. L. KENNAN, Pl'ff Att'y.

3.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece, parcel and tract of land situate in Bradford township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded as follows: On the south by lands formerly of Phoebe Hungerford and the George Richardson farm, on the east by the Samuel Davis farm and lands of Isaac Willets, on the south by lands of Isaac Willets and Daniel Lafferty, and on the west by the Lafferty farm and George Richardson farm and being lot No. 81 in warrant 3831 known formerly as the Mack farm and Potter Hollis tract, containing one hundred and ninety-four acres, more or less. Excepting and reserving twenty-six perches deeded to Charles F. Crocker by first party and described as follows: Beginning at a post in the north line of said tract sixty-two rods west of north-east corner thereof, thence south 87 degrees 40 minutes west seventy-nine rods to a point, thence south 9 degrees 25 minutes west fifty and nine-tenths rods to a post, thence north 87 degrees 5 minutes east seventy-nine rods to a post, thence north 9 degrees 25 minutes east fifty-two and seventy-five hundredths rods to a post the place of beginning, containing twenty-six acres and also reserving ten acres conveyed to one Foster by first party described as follows: Beginning at the north-west corner of said tract, thence easterly along the north line so far that a line running therefrom south and parallel to the west line of said tract shall embrace ten acres, thence southerly by said parallel line to the south line of said tract and the north line of Phoebe Hungerford lot, thence westerly along the south line of said Hungerford lot to the Northwest corner thereof, thence northerly along the west line of said Mack tract to the place of beginning.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Charles R. Dilworth at the suit of R. I. Taylor

SMILEY & MORRISON Pl'ffs Att'ys.

4.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece of land situated in the city of Bradford, county of McKean, and State of Pennsylvania, laid down and designated on a certain map entitled "plotted land belonging to D. & G. Jones, in Bradford, McKean county, Pa., 1878," L. Gordon, surveyor, as lot number six (6) on Chautauqua street, same being twenty-five feet front on the north line of Chautauqua street and seventy-five feet deep, more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Helen H. Rundell at the suit of McDonogh Avery & Co.

5.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all the following pieces or parcel of land situate in the borough of Smethport, McKean county, Pennsylvania bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Bounded north by Main street, east by lot on which the Grand Central Hotel is built, known as the Ranfly lot, south by Mary Kane and west by lot of C. & K. King, having thirty-six feet front on Main street and extending back one hundred fifteen and one-half feet, being part of square number eighty, and having thereon erected a three storied brick building with basement, with a bakery therein, said building having a front of thirty-six feet and a depth of sixty-five feet.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of W. H. Fleard at the suit of William Ratner.

STERRETT & ROSS Pl'ffs Att'ys.

6.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece or parcel of land situate at No 41 Boylston street in Bradford city, McKean county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post in north line of Boylston street 73 feet west of north-west corner of Boylston and Pierson streets, thence northerly parallel with said Pierson street 100 feet to a post, thence westerly parallel with Boylston street 37 and five-tenths feet to a post, thence southerly parallel with Kennedy street 100 feet to a post the north line of Boylston street, thence easterly along said north line of Boylston street 37 1-2 feet to place of beginning, having thereon a two story frame dwelling house with wing attached, a plank woodshed, a well of water and several outbuildings.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of N. Lazarus at the suit of Kent & Bowen.

BROWN & WORDEN Pl'ffs Att'ys.

7.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all the following described real estate, in Foster township, McKean county, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post on the west bank of the Tunungwant creek, at the north-east corner of lot No. 116, thence west two hundred and eighty (280) rods more or less to a post at the north-west corner of lot No. 116, thence north seventy-four (74) rods more or less to a post at the south-west corner of lot No. 112, thence east two hundred and twelve (212) rods more or less to a pine stump on the east side of the road, thence south seventeen (17) degrees east twenty-two (22) rods and twenty-two (22) links more or less to a post on the east side of the road, thence north eighty-four and one-half (84½) degrees east forty-seven and one-half (47½) rods more or less to a post, thence north four and one-fourth (4¼) degrees east eighteen (18) rods and seventeen (17) links more or less to a post on the east line of lot No. 112, thence south nine (9) rods more or less to a post on the west bank of said Tunungwant creek, thence up said creek to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and twenty-two and one-tenth (122 1-10) acres more or less, being a part of lot No. 114 and part of warrant No. 3837, and being the land conveyed to Phillip Hacker by Jacob W. Sherman on the nineteenth day of March, A. D. 1881. With one one-and-a-half story dwelling house with wing attached, four plank dwelling houses, two frame barns, necessary out-buildings, about six or seven acres of timber, several springs of water, three oil wells and rigs and connections, and about fifty acres improved. Excepting from the above described land, one hundred and sixty-nine square rods heretofore deeded to Mary A. Hazard, as will appear of record.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Philip Hacker at the suit of Sarah Ann Hacker.

WM. M. BOOCH Pl'ffs Att'y.

8.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all the following described real estate, situate in Kinsua township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, to-wit: Lot No. 338 of Keating & Co. survey of lands in said township, containing one hundred and sixty acres and being part of warrant No. 6128, with about ten acres partially improved, several springs of water.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Helen H. Rundell at the suit of McDonogh Avery & Co.

JNO. FOORMAN Pl'ffs Att'y.

9.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all the following described real estate, situate in Eldred township, McKean county, Pennsylvania: Lot No. 137 of Keating & Company's survey and part of warrants No. 6128 and 6129, containing fifty acres, about eight acres improved, one board shanty house.

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JNO. FOORMAN Pl'ffs Att'y.

10.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all the following described real estate, situate in Eldred township, McKean county, Pennsylvania: Lot No. 138 of Keating and Company's survey and part of warrants No. 6128, containing fifty acres, about eight acres improved, one board shanty house, spring of water.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Stull and John E. Stull at the suit of Wm. V. Keating, Adolphus E. Burke and James M. Willcox, now for use of Byron D. Hamlin.

JNO. FOORMAN Pl'ffs Att'y.

11.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all the following described real estate, situated in Eldred township, McKean county, Pennsylvania: Lot No. 136 of Keating and Company's survey and part of warrant No. 6128, containing thirty-four acres, about fifteen acres improved, spring of water.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of John Stull and John E. Stull at the suit of Wm. V. Keating, Adolphus E. Burke and James M. Willcox, now for use of Byron D. Hamlin.

JNO. FOORMAN Pl'ffs Att'y.

12.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all the following described real estate, situate in Norwich township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post standing in the centre of the public road leading from Smethport to Emporium, on the west side of Potato Creek, thence north fourteen (14) rods to a post corner, thence south twelve (12) rods to a post corner, thence east fourteen (14) rods to a post corner in the centre of said road, thence down said road twelve (12) rods to the place of beginning, containing one hundred and sixty-eight (168) square perches of land more or less, and being a part of the Pattison farm in said township. All improved, and having thereon one house, one barn, one wing attached, number of fruit and shade trees, and about forty and one out-house.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all that certain piece and parcel of land situate in the borough of Smethport, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a post on the north line of Main street, at the south-west corner of lot No. 124, thence north 1 ¼ degrees west one hundred feet to the north side of a fifteen feet alley, thence north 88 ¾ degrees east along the south side of said alley twenty-two feet to a post, thence south 1 ¼ degrees east one hundred feet to the north line of Main street, thence south 88 ¾ degrees west along the north line of Main street twenty-two feet to the place of beginning, being a part of village lot No. 68, with a two-story frame building thereon used for plumbing below and residence above.

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R. M. & E. BROWN, Pl'ffs Att'ys.

13.

All the Defendant's interest in the following described real estate, situate in the Borough of Smethport, McKean county, Pa., bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a corner sixty-six (66) feet north from south-east corner of square No 93; thence west one hundred one (101) feet to a corner; thence north forty-nine and one-half (49½) feet to the south line of an alley; thence by the south line thereof east one hundred one (101) feet to corner; thence south forty-nine and one-half (49½) feet to the place of beginning; containing about eighteen (18) square perches of land, be the same more or less; and being part of lots Nos. 1 and 2, and part of square No. 93, in the general plot of the Village of Smethport. Improved with a two-story frame dwelling house and outbuilding.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of C. Kidder at the suit of M. A. Sartwell, use of Hawson & Thatcher use of H. Sartwell.

14.

All the Defendant's interest in the following real estate: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Bradford, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post on the east side of Congress street, thence south eighty-seven (87) degrees, east forty-six (46) feet to a post, thence south (S.) three-fourths (¾) links to a post, then north three (3) degrees, east six (6) feet to a post, thence south eighty-seven (87) degrees, east eleven (11) rods and seven (7) links to a post on the west line of the estate of Jabez Kendall, thence south three (3) degrees east by west line of said Chestnut street, forty-two and twenty-two one hundredths (42 22-100) feet to a post in the south-east corner of village lot No. 129, thence north eighty-seven (87) degrees, west twenty-two (22) rods and fourteen (14) links to a post in the east line of Congress street and in the southward corner of village lot No. 132, thence southerly by the east line of said Congress street forty-six and fifty-six one hundredths (46 56-100) feet to the place of beginning, containing sixty and one-half square rods of land, more or less, being part of village lots Nos 133 and 128 in Warrant 3830. Deed dated September 28, 1880, acknowledged in open court September 29, 1880. Together with the following improvements thereon situated, consisting of one large two-storied dwelling house with wing and ell, one outhouse with facilities, work frame, wooden walks, a number of young shade trees, board and picket fence, well water. One small two-storied dwelling house with shed kitchen and shed, one iron house, wooden walk, board fence.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of K. Gorman at the suit of Jno. B. Chapman use of W. F. Cory.

15.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all that piece of land situate in Eldred township, McKean county, Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at the north-west corner of lot No. 167 of Keating & Co's survey of lands in said township, containing a thirty-seven and one-half acres and being part of warrant No. 6128, with dwelling house with wing attached barn and shed and other out buildings erected springs of water and all partially improved and well of water.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of J. Monroe Childs at the suit of Wm. V. Keating, A. E. Burke and Jas. M. Willcox, now for use of Byron D. Hamlin.

JNO. FOORMAN Pl'ffs Att'y.

16.

All the Defendant's interest in and to all that certain building-lot situate in the Borough aforesaid, a front of twenty feet on Second street and a depth of thirty-six feet, with privilege four to five feet and double, with the side-walk, cellar, blinds for windows etc., situate upon a certain piece of ground belonging to Bradford city, known as lot No. 50 on Walker Avenue.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of W. H. Hand at the suit of John Sweeney.

R. H. BRUCE (KANE Pl'ffs Att'y.

Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., May 3, '81.

A. I. WILCOX, Sheriff.

*MISCELLANEOUS.*


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March 25, 1881. 16-tf.

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February 6, 1880. 9-1y

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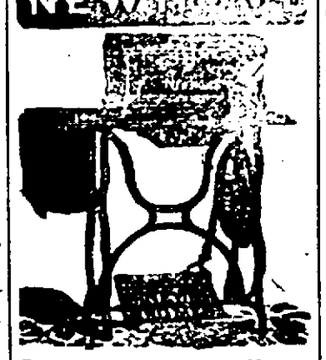


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|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
| Bradford.....Dep | 7 00 | 2 45 | 5 45 | 9 00 |
| Erie Crossing | 7 07 | 2 54 | 5 52 | 9 07 |
| Tarport | 7 14 | 3 01 | 5 59 | 9 14 |
| Dustin | 7 20 | 3 07 | 6 05 | 9 20 |
| Maple wood | 7 26 | 3 13 | 6 11 | 9 26 |
| Forest | 7 30 | 3 17 | 6 15 | 9 30 |
| Taylor | 7 37 | 3 23 | 6 22 | 9 36 |
| Maplewood | 7 42 | 3 28 | 6 27 | 9 41 |
| Kinsua Junction | 7 46 | 3 32 | 6 31 | 9 45 |
| Melvin | 7 54 | 3 39 | 6 38 | 9 52 |
| Meade City | 7 58 | 3 43 | 6 42 | 9 56 |
| McLainont | 8 06 | 3 51 | 6 50 | 10 04 |
| Row City | 8 16 | 4 01 | 7 00 | 10 14 |
| Bordell.....Ar. | 8 20 | 4 05 | 7 04 | 10 18 |
| Bermanna.....Dep | 7 30 | 3 15 | 6 30 | 9 40 |
| Allens | 7 34 | 3 20 | 6 35 | 9 45 |
| Aikes | 7 39 | 3 25 | 6 40 | 9 50 |
| Essex Switch | 7 45 | 3 31 | 6 46 | 9 56 |
| Van Vleck's | 7 50 | 3 37 | 6 52 | 10 02 |
| Simpson | 8 13 | 4 00 | 7 15 | 10 25 |
| Ormsby's | 8 27 | 4 13 | 7 27 | 10 39 |
| Smethport.....Ar | 8 40 | 4 25 | 7 40 | 10 50 |

NORTHWARD TRAINS.

| STATIONS. | 2 | 4 | 6 | 8 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | A. M. | P. M. | P. M. | P. M. |
| Smethport.....Dep | 8 30 | 5 15 | 1 15 | 6 30 |
| Ormsby's | 8 42 | 5 27 | 1 27 | 6 42 |
| Simpson | 8 56 | 5 40 | 1 40 | 6 56 |
| Van Vleck's | 9 19 | 6 02 | 2 02 | 7 19 |
| Essex Switch | 9 24 | 6 07 | 2 07 | 7 24 |
| Allens | 9 30 | 6 13 | 2 13 | 7 30 |
| Aikens | 9 35 | 6 18 | 2 18 | 7 35 |
| Bermanna | 9 40 | 6 23 | 2 23 | 7 40 |
| Bordell | 9 50 | 6 33 | 2 33 | 7 50 |
| Row City | 9 54 | 6 37 | 2 37 | 7 54 |
| McClainont | 10 02 | 6 45 | 2 45 | 8 02 |
| Meade City | 10 06 | 6 49 | 2 49 | 8 06 |
| Melvin | 10 13 | 6 56 | 2 56 | 8 13 |
| Kinsua Junction | 10 17 | 7 00 | 3 00 | 8 17 |
| Maplewood | 10 23 | 7 06 | 3 06 | 8 23 |
| Taylor | 10 27 | 7 10 | 3 10 | 8 27 |
| Forest | 10 33 | 7 16 | 3 16 | 8 33 |
| Maplewood | 10 36 | 7 19 | 3 19 | 8 36 |
| Chapin | 10 40 | 7 23 | 3 23 | 8 40 |
| Tarport | 10 45 | 7 28 | 3 28 | 8 45 |
| Erie Crossing | 10 52 | 7 35 | 3 35 | 8 52 |
| Bradford.....Ar | 11 00 | 7 45 | 3 45 | 9 00 |

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|---|---|---|
| A. m. p. m. | Lv. Ar. | p. m. a. m. |
| 8 15 12 25 | Buffalo | 5 00 8 30 |
| 8 16 6 24 | Kleinsers | 4 56 8 26 |
| 8 05 6 24 | Spring Brook | 4 39 8 14 |
| 7 56 6 07 | Elma | 4 29 8 04 |
| 7 54 6 12 | Jamison | 4 26 8 01 |
| 7 51 6 12 01 | East Aurora | 4 22 3 58 8 01 |
| 7 31 5 50 | Wales | 4 02 7 41 |
| 7 29 5 49 | Holland | 4 01 7 39 |
| 7 10 5 31 | Protection | 3 40 7 17 |
| 7 05 5 26 | N. Y. & E. R. R. Junc | 3 35 7 12 |
| 6 54 5 13 24 | Arcade | 3 25 3 13 7 00 |
| 6 47 5 10 | Yorkshire | 3 22 3 23 7 09 |
| 6 35 5 00 17 | Machias Junc. | 3 12 3 27 7 23 |
| 6 24 4 49 10 | Franklinville | 3 00 3 42 7 37 |
| 6 14 4 40 | Ischua | 2 51 3 51 7 46 |
| 6 05 4 28 27 | Hinsdale | 2 39 4 16 8 04 |
| 5 53 4 20 10 | Erie Ry Junc | 2 31 4 25 8 12 |
| 5 40 4 08 | Olean | 2 20 4 36 8 23 |
| A. m. 3 30 | Westons | P. m. |
| 3 22 | Portville | 4 54 |
| 3 16 | Kilbrid | 5 02 |
| 3 07 | Larrabees | 5 12 |
| 3 01 | Nortwall | 5 18 |
| 2 54 | Twin Forks | 5 25 |
| 2 50 | Port Allegany | 5 45 |
| 2 42 | Liberty | 6 01 |
| 2 36 | Keating | 6 10 |
| 2 30 | Whipple | 6 20 |
| 2 20 | Emporium | 6 30 |
| P. m. | Lv. Ar. | P. m. |

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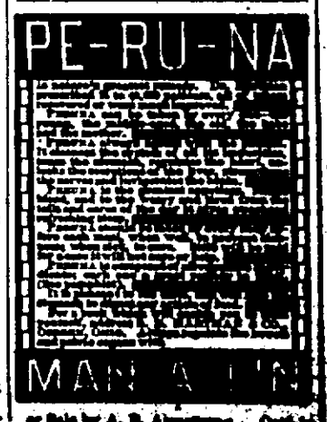


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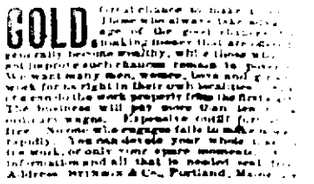

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